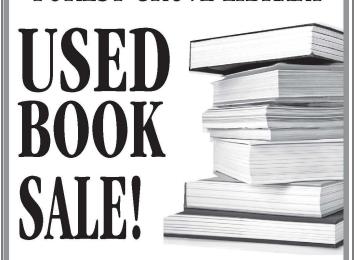


Friends of the Forest Grove Library invite you to the: FOREST GROVE LIBRARY



The Friends Spring Book Sale will take place

Mon, April 13, through Sat, April 18, in the Rogers Room of the Forest Grove City Library 2114 Pacific Avenue

Sale Hours correspond to Library open hours:

- Monday through Wednesday, 9:30AM -8 PM
- Thursday through Saturday, 9:30AM-5:30PM

Over 15.000 items!

Books, videos, CDs all priced to sell With a pool of paperback mystery novels both broad and deep; lots of children's books, too!

Membership has its privileges!

On Wednesday and Thursday, April 15 and 16, current members of Friends of the Forest Grove Library will receive a 50% discount on purchases. Memberships are annual and may be purchased or renewed at the door of the book sale.

Bring Your Own Bag and fill for \$5 per bag
On Friday and Saturday, April 17 and April 18,
all shoppers may fill grocery bags with books
and pay just \$5 per bag.

You can help: More than 50 volunteers pitched in on the last book sale. If you are interested in helping make the book sale a success, please call Katie Allnutt at 503-357-0658 or email her at allnutt@frontier.com.

The Forest Grove City Council has opened the application process to fill a City Councilor vacancy.

Councilors are required to ...

- Be a qualified elector under State Law.
- Reside in the City for at least one year prior.
- Not be employed by the City.

To apply, submit the following:

- Letter of intent & interest, including full name, residence address, phone and email (1 page limit);
- Written statement explaining reason for wishing to be appointed to the office (2 page limit); and
- Current resume (2 page limit).
- DO NOT include any letters of endorsements, letters of recommendations or references.
- Applications not meeting requirements will be rejected.

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE TO CITY HALL Friday, March 27, 2020, by 5 PM. INTERVIEWS will be held on Monday, April 13, 2020, from 4 to 6 PM

For more information, contact Anna Ruggles, City Recorder, at 503-992-3235, aruggles@forestgrove-or.gov/citycouncil

COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

The Community Enhancement Program (CEP) is open to non-profit organizations, schools or local government advisory committees interested in undertaking projects to enhance Forest Grove.

NEW in 2020: The CEP program has an additional category called Community Impact Grant for innovative and creative programs to target a community concern. One Community Impact Grant of \$40,000 each year for 3 years will be awarded. Applications available March 1, 2020, and must be completed and returned to City Hall, 1924 Council Street, by 5 pm on April 3, 2020.

Application and information available online at www.forestgrove-or.gov/CEPGrants.

For more information or questions, please call Paul Downey, Administrative Services Director, at 503-992-3200 or email pdowney@forestgrove-or.gov.

Backyard Burning Season Opens March 1 and is allowed until June 15 but is open and closed daily by the Department of Environmental Quality based on the air quality conditions of the day. See Open Burning Information on the City's website under Fire Department for more details and safety steps or call 503.992.3240.



"IF I WERE MAYOR" STUDENT CONTEST

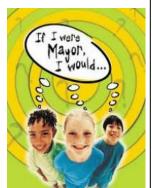
Share your creative ideas about what you would do as mayor. Local winners are entered into the state contest for a chance to win a gift worth \$500!

The three categories are:

- Posters (grades 4-5)
- Essays (grades 6-8)
- Digital media presentations (grades 9-12).

SEE <u>www.forestgrove-or.gov/</u>
<u>mayorcontest</u> for ENTRY FORM.
Entries DUE **APRIL 10, 2020**.

Questions: Contact City
Manager's office at 503-9923234 or bmaughan@forestgrove-or.gov.



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Forest Grove High School Theatre presents

The Diary of Anne Frank April 10, 11, 17 at 7 PM April 18 at 2 and 7 PM

Tickets: \$10.00 adults, \$5.00 Seniors and Students. \$15.00 Golden Ticket (good for all performances) For more information visit on Facebook @fgsdpac.



La ciudad de Forest Grove ofrecerá reembolsos a clientes residenciales que reemplacen su inodoro / excusado considerado ineficiente con uno tipo eficiente que además lleva

la certificación de <u>EPA WaterSense</u> (EPA = Agencia de Protección Ambiental de EE.UU.).

Reembolso de \$75 para inodoro / excusado de alta eficiencia; límite de 2 reembolsos por hogar.

El solicitante deberá tener su cuenta de servicios públicos (o 'utilities' en inglés) de Forest Grove solvente y aprobada.

Los fondos se destinarán a quienes vayan llegando primero y distribuidos hasta agotarse; el programa mismo podrá ser descontinuado en cualquier momento y sin dar aviso.

Para ver todos los requisitos del programa así como los términos de reembolso, favor de visitar: https://www.forestgrove-or.gov/publicworks/page/residential-high-efficiency-toilet-het-rebate-program

¿Preguntas? Llame por favor a la oficina de ingeniería / Engineering al (503) 992-3228.

CHILDREN'S DAY | DÍA DEL NIÑO

Wednesday, April 29, 2020 6 to 7 pm

Come celebrate Children's Day at the Forest Grove City Library with Comedian Angel Ocasio



Join us for comedy, magic, music, and juggling!

¡Ven a celebrar el Día del Niño en la biblioteca de la ciudad de Forest Grove! ¡Acompáñanos en comedia, magia, música y malabares!

Questions? Contact 503-992-3247.

SISTER CITY NYUZEN ADULT DELEGATION VISIT

July 5 to July 8, 2020

The City is seeking host families for the delegation visitors arriving on July 5 and departing on July 8, 2020. If you would like to host a member of the delegation, please submit a Host Family Exchange Form.



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Contact Anna Ruggles, City Recorder, at aruggles@forestgrove-or.gov, 503-992-3235 or please visit our website: www.forestgrove-or.gov/citycouncil/page/nyuzen-delegation-visits

Forest Grove Get Ready!

Community Disaster Preparedness
Group Meetings
Sponsored by Forest Grove Fire & Rescue

3rd Mondays of the Month @ 6 PM Forest Grove City Library, Rogers Room



Monday, March 16, 2020 "Are You Ready to Go with Your Go-Bag?"

Monday, April 20, 2020 Water and Sanitation

Monday, May 18, 2020 Making Family Plans

Join us to help get our community prepared! Bring your questions, tips, and ideas. Contact stacy.metzger@preventprotectserve.com for

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The mission of the Forest Grove Get Ready is to create a caring, connected, and resilient community. We are committed to making sure every community member is prepared and has the best chance of survival in the event of a disaster.



Historic Landmarks Board PHOTO CONTEST 2020 Now until April 6

Photograph your favorite historic Forest Grove property for a chance to be featured in the News Times and win dinner out on the town!



The contest is open to all skill levels and includes both an adult and a youth category. Photos must feature a historic property in Forest Grove.

Winners of the contest will be recognized by Mayor Truax on May 11 at the City Council meeting as part of the National Historic Preservation Month Proclamation.

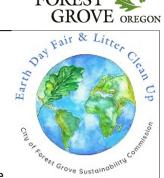
Be creative and have fun! This is your chance to celebrate and preserve Forest Grove's irreplaceable cultural and historic landmarks.

All submissions must be received at HistoricFG@outlook.com no later than 5 pm April 6, 2020. For contest rules and information visit:

https://www.forestgrove-or.gov/bc-hlb/page/historicphoto-contest

2nd Annual **EARTH DAY FAIR &** LITTER CLEAN UP

Saturday, April, 18, 2020 10 am to 2 pm Lincoln Park



On Earth Day 2020, enjoy the fresh air and join forces with the

Sustainability Commission to create a litter-free city! This will be a fun, interactive, family event. Bring your kids and learn ways we can all make a difference on Earth Day. There will be community booths, vendors, local artisans and raffle prizes. Follow Forest the Gnome on a scavenger hunt around town. Trash bags, gloves, and pickers (limited availability) will be provided. Bring your energy, passion, and enthusiasm for a cleaner Forest Grove.* Meet us at Lincoln Park on April 18 at 10 AM and fan out across the city to clean up litter. Use social media hashtags #TrashTag & #EarthDay2020 to participate globally.

For event details, please email Elizabeth Stover, Program Coordinator, at estover@forestgrove-or.gov. We look forward to seeing you there!

PLEASE NOTE We welcome you, but not your personal trash. No personal garbage or recycling will be accepted -LITTER CLEAN UP ONLY!



CITY CELEBRATES 30 YEARS as a TREE CITY USA

Please join the Community Forestry Commission in commemorating National Arbor Month and the City's 30th year as a Tree City USA!



Monday, April 13, 2020: **Proclamation at City Council meeting Tuesday, April 24, 2020:**

Annual Tree Planting Celebration

10 AM, Thatcher Park, 750 David Hill Road

During month of April: Displays at the Library

Did you know...

- The holiday called Arbor Day was first observed with the planting of more than 1 million trees in Nebraska
- Trees help reduce topsoil erosion and lower heating and cooling costs
- Trees in our City increase property values, enhance the vitality of business districts and beautify our community.

The Arbor Day Foundation and Community Forestry Commission urge all to plant trees during the month of April to promote the well-being of this and future generations. For more information, contact the Community Development Department at 503-992-3227 or http://www.forestgrove-or.gov/bc-cfc.





Forest Theater 1911 Pacific Avenue 6 PM | Sunday, April 19

The Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour is returning to Forest Grove for the third year. Join Adventures Without Limits for one night of the very best in outdoor

adventure featuring 10 short films. Tickets are \$20 and all sales benefit



Visit <u>www.awloutdoors.org</u> to purchase tickets and learn more or contact 503-359-2568.

SPRING ACCORDION CELEBRATION

Sunday, April 26, 2020 1:30 - 5:00 PM

2:30 pm Featured Performer: Andy Mirkovich

FG Senior & Community Center 2037 Douglas Street, Forest Grove, OR Admission: Adults \$5.00



Join us for an afternoon of music and good company. Everyone is welcome.

Hosted by Doris Osgood and the Tualatin Valley Accordionists for the Northwest Accordion Society

Sponsored by Forest Grove Senior & Community Center

Village Without Walls

Serving Hillsboro, Aloha, Cornelius & Forest Grove www.villagewithoutwalls.org | vww4info@gmail.com 503-207-8729

Come join us at 10 AM on Saturday, March 28, 2020, at BJs Coffee Co., 2834 Pacific Avenue, Suite C



We Are Older Adults Building Community and Providing Support to Age at Home

Shop for your spring gardening plant start needs at Dairy Creek Community Food Web's 4th Annual

SPRING UP! PLANT SALE

Saturday, April 18, 2020 | 10 am to 3 pm Sunday, April 19, 2020 | 1 to 3 pm Assembly of God Church | 1523 Pacific Avenue https://dairycreekcommunityfoodweb.org/



OREGON HUMANITIES CONVERSATION PROJECT

to foster civic dialogue on campus and with community

McCALL CENTER for The Meaning of Climate Change CIVIC ENGAGEMENT Tuesday, April 21, 11:30-12:50 **Pacific University MPR University Center**

Free, non-partisan civic dialogue with no experience necessary. Join Pacific students, staff, faculty, and your friends and neighbors for a professionally facilitated discussion focused on the goal of connecting "people to ideas and to each other, not to push an agenda or arrive at consensus". Registration is not required to attend but does help us order the right amount of coffee, tea & treats!

Register here: https://bit.ly/2MmiOsT

Community Collaboration Celebration

Tuesday, April 28 | 4 to 6 pm University Center - Multipurpose Room 2043 College Way, Forest Grove

Pacific University honors special partnerships between students, faculty, staff, alumni, and community members and will recognize those who are making a difference in our community through effective community collaboration.

The event is free and open to the public. RSVPs are appreciated but not required. Learn more, RSVP, and nominate an individual/organization for recognition at the event at pacificu.edu/ collaborationcelebration. Contact us at cce@pacificu.edu or (503) 352-1573 with questions.



Friends of Historic Forest Grove in partnership with McMenamins presents

Grand Lodge History Pub

Centennial of Suffrage: A Concert Commemorating the 19th Amendment Presented by Cece Otto, singer, composer, and historian

Grand Lodge Theater at Grand Lodge 3505 Pacific Ave • Forest Grove Wednesday, March 25, 2020 Doors open at 5 pm for no-host food/beverage service Program begins at 6:30 pm

Mark your calendars for the next History Pub event on April 29! Learn more at fhfg.org/history-pub

FREE!